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Bristol Bay Eastside Salmon Announcement # 51 EO # 60, 61

This is the Alaska Department of Fish and Game in King Salmon with an Announcement for Egegik and Ugashik District commercial fishermen. The time of this announcement is **9:00 a.m.** and the date is **Friday July 12, 2013**.

In Egegik: Preliminary estimate for catch from yesterday's opener was 91,000. Through July 11, cumulative catch is 4.6 million. Escapement yesterday was 27,000. Cumulative escapement is 1.09 million.

Commercial fishing will be permitted within the waters of the Egegik District with set gillnets from 2:45 p.m. Friday July 12 until 2:45 p.m. Saturday, July13, 2013.....a 24 hour period. Commercial fishing with drift gillnet gear will be permitted from 3:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. Friday, July 12, 2013.....a 6-hour period.

In Ugashik: Preliminary estimates for catch from yesterday's opener was 80,000. Through July 11 cumulative catch is 2 million. Escapement for July 11 was 82,000 and cumulative escapement is 406,000.

Commercial fishing will be permitted in the Ugashik District with set gillnet gear from 12:30 p.m.to 9:30 p.m. Friday, July 12, 2013......a 9- hour period. Commercial fishing with drift gillnets will be permitted from 1:30 p.m. until 10:00 p.m., Friday, July 12, 2013.....a 8.5-hour period. Ugashik District fishermen should be sure of their market before fishing.

Fishermen in both districts should stand by at 12:00 p.m., Saturday, July 13 for the next possible announcement.

This has been the Alaska Dept. of Fish & Game in King Salmon
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